

"INSCOM TODAY"

OVERVIEW PRESENTATION

OF THE

UNITED STATES ARMY INTELLIGENCE AND SECURITY COMMAND

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1. CRESTS

WELCOME TO THIS BRIEFING ABOUT THE UNITED STATES ARMY INTELLIGENCE AND SECURITY COMMAND (OR INSCOM), OUR PEOPLE, AND THE JOBS WE DO.

2. MAP W/W

WE ARE A WORLDWIDE COMMAND WITH A WORLDWIDE MISSION. OUR SOLDIERS AND CIVILIANS PERFORM INTELLIGENCE COLLECTION, COUNTERINTELLIGENCE AND SECURITY ACTIVITIES TO MEET HIGH-LEVEL ARMY AND NATIONAL REQUIREMENTS DURING PEACE OR WAR. AT ANY GIVEN TIME, ABOUT HALF OUR PEOPLE WORK OVERSEAS.

3. RESERVISTS

IN ADDITION TO OUR ACTIVE DUTY SOLDIERS, RESERVE COMPONENT SOLDIERS ARE READY TO JOIN INSCOM DURING ANY FUTURE TRANSITION TO WAR. THEY INCLUDE INDIVIDUAL MOBILIZATION DESIGNEES AND SOLDIERS FROM SUPPORTING UNITS.

4. MISSION

WHILE WE FOCUS ON ECHELONS ABOVE CORPS IN PROVIDING MULTI-DISCIPLINE INTELLIGENCE, SECURITY, AND ELECTRONIC WARFARE SUPPORT, INSCOM ALSO PROVIDES TECHNICAL ADVICE AND ASSISTANCE TO COMBAT AND INTELLIGENCE ASSETS AT CORPS, BRIGADE, AND DIVISION LEVEL.

5. ORIGINS

INSCOM WAS FORMED IN 1977 FROM ASSETS OF THE ARMY SECURITY AGENCY; ARMY INTELLIGENCE AGENCY; FORCES COMMAND; AND ELEMENTS OF THE OFFICE OF THE ARMY'S, THEN, ASSISTANT CHIEF OF STAFF FOR INTELLIGENCE.

6. ARL HALL STATION

AS THE ARMY'S PREMIER INTELLIGENCE COLLECTORS AND PROTECTORS OF SECURITY INFORMATION, WE ARE ON THE CUTTING EDGE OF OUR COUNTRY'S DEFENSE.

7. INTERRELATIONSHIPS

WE WORK DAILY WITH MANY AGENCIES OF THE FEDERAL GOVERNMENT, INCLUDING THE CENTRAL INTELLIGENCE AGENCY AND THE DEPARTMENTS OF STATE, JUSTICE, AND DEFENSE. WITHIN DOD WE WORK PRINCIPALLY WITH THE DEFENSE INTELLIGENCE AGENCY, NATIONAL SECURITY AGENCY, OUR SERVICE COUNTERPARTS, AND THE DEPUTY CHIEF OF STAFF FOR INTELLIGENCE (DCSINT).

8. MAP W/W

INSCOM'S HEADQUARTERS IS AT ARLINGTON HALL STATION IN ARLINGTON, VIRGINIA. WE HAVE A WIDE VARIETY OF SUBORDINATE UNITS LOCATED AT VANTAGE POINTS THROUGHOUT THE WORLD. OUR MAJOR UNITS ARE LOCATED IN EUROPE, SOUTHWEST ASIA, THE FAR EAST, CENTRAL AMERICA, AND THE CONTINENTAL UNITED STATES.

9. MULTI-DISCIPLINE

THROUGHOUT THE BRIEFING, I WILL USE THE TERM "MULTI-DISCIPLINE." IN ITS BROADEST SENSE, THE TERM MEANS THAT WE ARE RESPONSIBLE FOR MANAGING THE ARMY'S FIVE MAJOR INTELLIGENCE DISCIPLINES. MORE IMPORTANTLY WE ARE AN INTER-DISCIPLINARY COMMAND. OUR JOB, AS YOU WILL SEE, IS TO OPERATE NUMEROUS DIVERSE ORGANIZATIONS, COORDINATING THE COLLECTION EFFORT. IN ALL OF THE FREE WORLD, WE ARE THE ONLY COMMAND TO BLEND ALL TYPES OF INTELLIGENCE OPERATIONS. MOST OF OUR UNITS, WHETHER THEY ARE A MAJOR SUBORDINATE UNIT OR NOT, CAN BE IDENTIFIED AS EITHER SEPARATE FIELD STATIONS OR PARTS OF A MILITARY INTELLIGENCE BRIGADE.

10. ANTENNA

AS PART OF THE WORLDWIDE UNITED STATES COMMUNICATIONS NETWORK, OUR FIELD STATIONS PROVIDE RAPID RADIO RELAY AND SECURE COMMUNICATIONS TO HELP DEFEND THIS COUNTRY AND OUR ALLIES.

11. BUILDING

OUR UNITS PROVIDE MULTI-DISCIPLINE INTELLIGENCE AND SECURITY SUPPORT TO COUNTER A VARIETY OF INTELLIGENCE THREATS TO ARMY ACTIVITIES, WITHIN THEIR RESPECTIVE THEATERS OF ASSIGNMENT, OTHER MI GROUPS SUPPORT THE ARMY AT LARGE.

12. DISCIPLINES

INSCOM IS UNIQUE AS BEING THE ONLY MULTI-DISCIPLINE INTELLIGENCE, SECURITY AND ELECTRONIC WARFARE SERVICE. WHEN SPEAKING OF INSCOM'S ACTIVITIES, WE INCLUDE FIVE DISCIPLINES --SIGNALS INTELLIGENCE OR SIGINT; HUMAN INTELLIGENCE, HUMINT; IMAGERY INTELLIGENCE, IMINT; MEASUREMENT AND SIGNATURE INTELLIGENCE, MASINT; AND COUNTER INTELLIGENCE AND OPERATIONS SECURITY OR CI/OPSEC.

13. FOUR HANDS

AS THE ARMY'S ELEMENT IN THE NATIONAL CRYPTOLOGIC COMMUNITY, WE ARE INTENSELY INVOLVED WITH OUR NAVY AND AIR FORCE COUNTERPARTS, AS WELL AS THE NATIONAL SECURITY AGENCY.

14. IMAGERY INTERPRETER

IMAGERY INTELLIGENCE, AS ITS NAME HINTS, IS A METHOD BY WHICH PHOTOGRAPHS OR IMAGES FROM NATIONAL, THREATER, AND TACTICAL SYSTEMS ARE ANALYZED TO DERIVE INTELLIGENCE THAT OFTEN IS NOT OBTAINABLE ANY OTHER WAY.

15. HUMINT

HUMAN INTELLIGENCE IS THE CATEGORY OF INTELLIGENCE DERIVED FROM HUMAN SOURCES.

16. MASINT

MEASUREMENT AND SIGNATURE INTELLIGENCE, IS OUR NEWEST DISCIPLINE.

17. CI/OPSEC

OUR FINAL FIELD IS COUNTERINTELLIGENCE AND OPERATIONS SECURITY SUPPORT. COUNTERINTELLIGENCE COVERS ACITIVITIES DEVOTED TO DESTROYING THE EFFECTIVENESS OF HOSTILE FOREIGN INTELLIGENCE ACTIVITIES. WE ALSO PROTECT INFORMATION AGAINST ESPIONAGE, PERSONNEL AGAINST SUBVERSION, AND INSTALLATIONS AGAINST SABOTAGE.

18. OPSEC

THE SECOND PART, SUPPORT THAT INSCOM PROVIDES TO ENHANCE THE ARMY'S OPERATIONS SECURITY, IS THE PROCESS OF DENYING ADVERSARIES INFORMATION ABOUT FRIENDLY CAPABILITIES AND INTENTIONS. WE DO THIS BY HELPING UNIT AND

INSTALLATION COMMANDERS AT ALL LEVELS IN IDENTIFYING, CONTROLLING, AND PROTECTING INDICATORS THAT ARE USUALLY ASSOCIATED WITH PLANNING AND CONDUCTING MILITARY OPERATIONS. TO SUMMARIZE CI AND OPSEC SUPPORT IN ONE SENTENCE -- THEY ARE DESIGNED TO SAFEGUARD THE ARMY'S INTENTIONS AND CAPABILITIES FROM OUR ENEMIES.

19. SOLDIERS

THIS IS THE BASIC PICTURE OF INSCOM IN A BRIEF OVERVIEW OF OUR BEGINNINGS, OUR PARTNERS, AND WHAT WE DO. BUT INSCOM IS MORE THAN THIS.

20. INSCOM WOMAN

OUR PEOPLE DO UNIQUE AND VITAL JOBS. IN A SHORT BRIEFING SUCH AS THIS WE CAN NOT TELL YOU ABOUT ALL OF OUR UNITS OR EVERYTHING WE DO, BUT WE WOULD LIKE TO HIGHLIGHT SOME OF OUR MORE INTERESTING FACETS.

21. THEATER UNITS

AS I JUST MENTIONED, OUR MILITARY INTELLIGENCE BRIGADES PROVIDE MULTI-DISCIPLINE INTELLIGENCE AND SECURITY SUPPORT TO THEIR RESPECTIVE THEATERS OF ASSIGNMENT OR TO THE ARMY AT LARGE.

22. 501ST

OUR MILITARY INTELLIGENCE-UNITS IN KOREA ARE REPRESENTATIVE OF OUR MULTI-DISCIPLINE ORGANIZATIONS. THESE UNITS ARE ON THE FRONT LINE OF AMERICA'S DEFENSE. WORKING TODAY IN A COMBAT SETTING, THESE UNITS ARE A WELL-BALANCED BLEND OF TACTICAL AND STRATEGIC INTELLIGENCE SPECIALISTS AND ASSETS. SIMILAR UNITS ARE LOCATED IN EUROPE, JAPAN, PANAMA, AND IN THE UNITED STATES.

23. LOW INTENSITY

ONE OF INSCOM'S NEWEST EFFORTS IS THE CHALLENGE OF LOW-INTENSITY CONFLICT.

24. MI BN (LI)

WE HAVE ACTIVATED A NEW TYPE OF INTELLIGENCE UNIT. THE UNIT IS TAILORED FOR USE IN CONTINGENCY SITUATIONS THROUGHOUT THE WORLD.

25. C-12 AIRCRAFT

IN SUPPORT OF THE NEW UNIT, WE'VE BEEN CONDUCTING AN EXTENSIVE EVALUATION OF SEVERAL AIRBORNE INTELLIGENCE SYSTEMS. THE RESULTS SO FAR INDICATE THEY WILL BE ESPECIALLY EFFECTIVE DURING LOW-INTENSITY CONFLICTS ANYWHERE IN THE WORLD.



26. 513TH

IN THE UNITED STATES, THE 513TH MI BRIGADE IS PARTICULARLY INTERESTING. ITS UNITS ARE FAIRLY WIDESPREAD THROUGHOUT THE CONTINENTAL UNITED STATES.

27. EXERCISE

THE 513TH HAS ONE OF OUR MOST EXTENSIVE EXERCISE SCHEDULES. THE BRIGADE PARTICIPATED, ALONG WITH SEVERAL ARAB NATIONS, IN EXERCISE BRIGHT STAR IN THE EGYPTIAN DESERT.

28. GRENADA

BECAUSE ELEMENTS OF THE 513TH PARTICIPATED IN GRENADA, THEY ARE THE ONLY SOLDIERS AUTHORIZED TO WEAR THE INSCOM PATCH AS A COMBAT UNIT PATCH.

29. TANK

THE FOREIGN MATERIEL INTELLIGENCE GROUP EXPLOITS SOVIET EQUIPMENT AND OTHER FOREIGN MATERIAL.

30. 902ND MI GP

THE 902ND MI GROUP IN THE UNITED STATES IS INVOLVED IN TECHNICAL SURVEILLANCE COUNTERMEASURES AND POLYGRAPH OPERATIONS. THE GROUP PROVIDES COUNTER INTELLIGENCE SUPPORT TO NEARLY EVERY ARMY INSTALLATION IN THE UNITED STATES.

31. SPECIAL UNITS

INSCOM ALSO HAS UNITS THAT ARE NOT FIELD STATIONS OR MILITARY INTELLIGENCE BRIGADES. ALTHOUGH THESE UNITS DO NOT PERFORM WHAT MANY PEOPLE THINK OF AS TRADITIONAL INTELLIGENCE MISSIONS, THEY SERVE A VERY IMPORTANT FUNCTION IN MEETING INSCOM'S MISSION.

32. USARI

A FEW, AMONG OUR MANY UNITS IN EUROPE, ARE NON-TRADITIONAL INTELLIGENCE ORGANIZATIONS. ONE OF THESE UNITS IS THE UNITED STATES ARMY RUSSIAN INSTITUTE, LOCATED IN PICTURESQUE GARMISCH, GERMANY.

33. STUDENTS

THE INSTITUTE TRAINS SOVIET AREA SPECIALISTS FOR THE UNITED STATES. THE SCHOOL'S PROGRAM INCLUDES SOVIET AREA STUDIES, AND TWO YEARS OF ADVANCED RUSSIAN LANGUAGE TRAINING.

34. LIBRARY

THE SCHOOL HAS A 30,000 VOLUME LIBRARY, 65 PERCENT OF WHICH IS IN RUSSIAN. SOME OF THE LIBRARY'S HOLDINGS ARE UNIQUE IN THE FREE WORLD. A PARALLEL EFFORT IS OUR FOREIGN LANGUAGE TRAINING CENTER IN MUNICH WHERE SOLDIERS COME FROM ALL OVER EUROPE FOR REFRESHER TRAINING.

35. CSF

IN THE UNITED STATES, THE CENTRAL SECURITY FACILITY AT FORT MEADE, MARYLAND, SUPPORTS THE ARMY'S INTELLIGENCE AND COUNTERINTELLIGENCE ACTIVITIES.

36. FILES

THE FACILITY HOLDS OVER THREE MILLION FILES WHICH ARE USED BY THE DEFENSE INVESTIGATIVE SERVICE TO OBTAIN INFORMATION USED IN GRANTING OR DENYING CLEARANCES FOR MILITARY AND CIVILIAN PERSONNEL. CSF ALSO COORDINATES RELEASE OF INFORMATION WHICH HAS BEEN REQUESTED UNDER THE FREEDOM OF INFORMATION AND PRIVACY ACTS.

37. SSG LOGO

OPERATING FROM ARLINGTON HALL STATION, THE U.S. ARMY SPECIAL SECURITY GROUP GUIDES AND COUNSELS ARMY UNITS ON HOW TO HANDLE AND SECURE INFORMATION REQUIRING SECURITY PROTECTION. PRIMARY RECIPIENTS OF SUPPORT ARE NON-TACTICAL ORGANIZATIONS SUCH AS MAJOR ARMY COMMANDS AND INSTALLATIONS.

38. SSG WORKER

WITH NINE SUBORDINATE SPECIAL SECURITY COMMANDS AND DETACHMENTS WORLDWIDE, THE GROUP ALSO ADVISES AND ASSISTS ACTIVE AND RESERVE COMPONENT UNITS AND ARMY CONTRACTORS WORLDWIDE.

39. THREAT

WHETHER AT A MILITARY INTELLIGENCE BRIGADE, A TACTICAL SUPPORT UNIT, OR ANY OF OUR UNITS, SOLDIERS AND CIVILIANS THROUGHOUT INSCOM ARE SUCCESSFULLY CONFRONTING AN INCREASINGLY COMPLEX CHALLENGE.

40. CHANGE

WE ARE CONFIDENT NO TASK IS TOO GREAT. THROUGH CREATIVE MANAGEMENT OF OUR RESOURCES WITHIN MANPOWER AND BUDGET CONSTRAINTS, WE ARE INCREASING OUR CAPABILITIES IN EVERY INTELLIGENCE DISCIPLINE. A MAJOR CHALLENGE FACES US IN PREPARING FOR OUR MOVE TO FORT BELVOIR. WE TOOK A LARGE FIRST STEP EARLIER WHEN WE CONSOLIDATED OUR OPERATIONS FROM FORT MEADE TO ARLINGTON HALL STATION.

41. SMILE

CHARGED WITH IMPROVING ARMY INTELLIGENCE ACTIVITIES, INSCOM HAS SUCCESSFULLY FUSED MANY FUNCTIONS INTO A MULTI-DISCIPLINE COLLECTION, AND COUNTER-INTELLIGENCE EFFORT.

42. SOLDIER

WE SIGNIFICANTLY CONTRIBUTE TO MILITARY  
AND POLITICAL DELIBERATIONS AND  
DECISIONS.

43. CIVILIAN

INSCOM SOLDIERS AND CIVILIANS ALIKE ARE  
PROUD OF THE FACT THAT WE ARE DOING THE  
JOB ON THE FRONT LINE TODAY.

44. CREST/PATCH

WE ARE A DYNAMIC ORGANIZATION WHICH  
ACCEPTS ITS RESPONSIBILITIES TO ENSURE  
THAT THE ARMY AND THE COUNTRY TODAY AND  
TOMORROW WILL BE THE BEST INFORMED AND  
MOST COMBAT CAPABLE FORCE IN THE WORLD.

THIS CONCLUDES TODAY'S BRIEFING ON THE  
UNITED STATES ARMY'S INTELLIGENCE AND  
SECURITY COMMAND.